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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 09812.0446-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Hiraku INOUE) Group Art Unit: 2145
Application No.: 09/600,236) Examiner: Patrice L. Winder
Filed: July 13, 2000)
For: INFORMATION TRANSMISSION) Confirmation No.: 9826
METHOD, INFORMATION)
PROCESSING METHOD,)
INFORMATION TRANSMISSION)
SYSTEM, AND DATA)
PROCESSING APPARATUS)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

This is a reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on July 5, 2006, the period for response to which extends through August 7, 2006 (August 5, 2006 being a Saturday and August 6, 2006 being a Sunday).

In the Notice, the Examiner stated that the Reply filed on April 7, 2006 was non-compliant under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 because a complete listing of all of the claims is not present, and the listing of claims does not include the text of all pending claims.

Applicant requests withdrawal of the Notice because the Reply filed on April 7, 2006 was proper. 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 outlines the manner of making amendments in an application. However, Applicant did not amend the claims on April 7, 2006. Applicant